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Unhappy Women!

No woman can be happy when her health is undermined. No woman can have good health while she suffers from female weakness, inflammation, ulceration or any disease of the delicate womanly organs. Nervous, sleepless, fretful, suffering in body and mind, she does not live but only exists.

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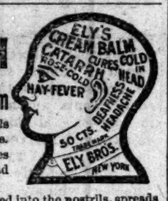

Ely's Cream Balm

cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents.

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No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol cures indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does not only cure indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy cures all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

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Gives Health to the Sick and Strength to the Weak.

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[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

Hebrews Object to Count Cassini.

George F. Lyons, secretary of the New York Press Club, has received notice from all Jewish members of the Press Club and guests that they wish to cancel their acceptances to the dinner to President Roosevelt at the Waldorf-Astoria, February 13. The move has caused a big sensation, for the incident now takes an international flavor and is likely to cause a lot of studying by eminent politicians between now and the date of the banquet. The Jews have withdrawn because Count Cassini is the only ambassador invited to the banquet, at least his is the only name printed on the advance programmes of the affair, which is to be the most notable of its kind ever given in New York. The Jews declare that the Russian ambassador cannot fail to make capital out of the affair by cabling St. Petersburg that the friendliness and sympathy of the American press toward Russia as against Japan is made plain by his presence at the press banquet to the head of the nation to the exclusion of representatives of every other foreign government. Further, they refuse to lend their presence to an affair which they declare is made a conspicuous honor to the ambassador of a nation responsible for Kishineff and other outrages against their race. The withdrawal is a protest against creating a situation which, the Jews argue, will be paraded as an object lesson for Europe and for its disheartening effect upon Japan. Among the Jewish guests who were to have attended are Banker Joseph Schiff, J. and L. Seligman, Jacob Stern and others equally as prominent in the financial world. Rabbi Jacob Goldstein, pastor of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Home and almoner for Jewish charities, in New York, is another who has withdrawn, with five who were to have been guests.

The Mabel Rogers Case.

Whether Mary Mabel Rogers, now occupying the death cell at the Windsor Stall state prison, will die on the gallows tomorrow afternoon, as ordered by the court in which she was found guilty of murdering her husband, Marcus Rogers or be granted a reprieve while the Supreme Court is petitioned for a new trial, will be announced at Waterbury this afternoon by Gov. Bell.

This much was made known by the governor at the conclusion of a hearing given by him yesterday, and at which he was urged to grant a stay of execution. Gov. Bell added that the privilege to resign belonged to the sheriff and deputies who were among the petitioners. Yesterday's hearing presented the unusual spectacle of five officers of the law charged with the infliction of the death penalty pleading with the governor of the State to delay their duties. Briefly, Gov. Bell was asked to delay the execution until newly discovered evidence could be presented before the Supreme Court with a petition for a new trial. The petitioners alleged that Leon Perham, now serving a life sentence for complicity in the crime had recently confessed that he had lied on the stand, swearing away Mrs. Rogers' life to save himself from the gallows; that Mrs. Rogers was an accessory rather than the principal, according to Perham's alleged confession, according to Perham's alleged confession, in which he was quoted as admitting that he, and not Mrs. Rogers, administered the chloroform; that there was hereditary insanity in the Rogers family, and that the physical condition of the condemned woman at the time the crime was committed was such as to make her mentally incapable.

Swears Miracle Cured Her.

A miracle brought about by prayer was yesterday sworn to in court by Miss Inga Hanson, a former member of the Salvation Army in Chicago, who is on trial charged with perjury in connection with a personal damage suit, brought by her against the Chicago City Railway Company Under oath she testified that a miracle restored her sight, speech and hearing. This remarkable explanation came from the lips of the young woman as the answer to a charge that her ailments had been simulaed to further a $50,000 conspiracy, had been adroitly kept up for five years of litigation and had suddenly ceased. The scene of the alleged miracle was in Richmond, Va., and, according to the girl's claims, was produced by prayers with an itinerant Methodist missionary who visited her. Miss Hanson lost her suit against the street railway company.

Suicide of Young Woman.

The lifeless body of a young woman who had given the name of Mazie Leigh was found kneeling beside a bed in a hotel at Tenth street and Fourth avenue, New York, yesterday. The young woman had shot herself in the heart. She told a woman with whom she formerly boarded that she was a student in the Northwestern University and had eloped from Evanston, Ill., with a student. The whereabouts of the latter is unknown. The girl left a note saying she was tired of living. Officials of the Northwestern University of Chicago say they have no record of any women student named Mazie Leigh. They also state that nothing is known of any elopement there.

This Lady Started with a 25c. Bottle.

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HAIR GROW

Average growth 1¼ in. per month for twenty consecutive months.

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Chicago, Feb. 9, 1901. SARAH MacCOMB.

NOW at all druggists in three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and $1.00 per bottle.

FREE To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this advertisement to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and ten cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

For Sale and Guaranteed by

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May Refuse License.

Messrs. Westwood Hutchison and D. R. Lewis were elected members of the Manassas Town Council Monday night to represent the new district recently annexed to that town. Mr. Hutchison and Mr. Lewis will hold office until the regular election of a Mayor and council in the fall of this year. Both of the newly elected members are identified with the Anti-Saloon League, and with them the "drys" have a majority in the Council. It will not be surprising if all applications for liquor license are refused at the March meeting of the Council.

Perfect Confidence.

Where there used to be a feeling of uneasiness and worry in the household when a child showed symptoms of croup, there is now perfect confidence. This is owing to the uniform success of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the treatment of that disease. Mrs. M. I. Basford, of Poolesville, Md., in speaking of her experience in the use of that remedy says: "I have a world of confidence in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for I have used it with perfect success. My child Garland is subject to severe attacks of croup and it always gives him prompt relief." For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach; liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50c.

There is one rational way to treat nasal catarrh: the medicine is applied direct to the affected membrane. The remedy is Ely's Cream Balm. It restores the inflammed tissue to a healthy state without drying all the life out of them and it gives back the lost senses of taste and smell. The sufferer who is tried of vain experiments should use Cream Balm. Druggists sell it for 50 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York, will mail it.

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For liver troubles and constipation there is nothing better than DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little Pills. They do not weaken the stomach. Their action upon the system is mild, pleasant and harmless. Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says: "No use talking, DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work. All other pills I have used gripe and make me sick in the stomach and never cured me. Dewitt's Little Early Risers proved to be the long sought relief. They are simply perfect." Persons traveling find Little Early Risers the most reliable remedy to carry with them. Sold by all druggists.

Improvement Sale.

Previous to making improvements in our carpet and rug department we will sell RUGS AND CARPETS at greatly reduced prices:

9x12 Tapestry Carpet Rug, $14; was $17.

9x12 Smyrna, $17.50; was $22.50.

27x54 Velvet and Moquet Rugs, $2; were $2.50.

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COX & GORDON MISSOURI HAMS small sizes, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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The Mercantile,

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In order to make room for an extensive stock of Spring and Summer Woolens we will close out our entire stock of Fall and Winter Woolens at and below cost.

Suits to Order, $17.50
Overcoats, $20 up.
Trousers, $4.75 up.
Fancy Vests, $3 up.

Robert T. Grimes,

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Lyons & Brother,

Dealers in

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HAVING QUALIFIED AS THE EXECutrix of GEORGE R. HILL, deceased, all persons indebted to his estate are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment. IDA MELISSA HILL.

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15 pieces Fancy White Madras for waists and negligee shirts; 19c value, at 12½c yard.

10 pieces White Mercerized Waistings; regular 25c qualities, at 19c yard.

10 pieces White Mercerized Waistings, the counterpart of silks; regular 39c qualities, at 29c yard.

500 yards Plain White Swisses; regular 15c qualities, at 10c yard.

50c pieces White Persian Lawns; the 15c qualities, for 10c yard.

50 pieces White Persian Lawns; the 25c qualities, for 19c yard.

English Long Cloths, 12 yard pieces; priced regularly at 12½c; this week $1.29 per piece.

1000 yards Colored Madras, in short lengths, suitable for dresses, waists and men's negligee shirts; 15c values, at 10c yard.

Silk Mousellines, in shades of white, cream, pink, light blue, brown, navy and black; 19c value, for 12½c yard.

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HALF PRICE FOR GOOD BAKING CHOCOLATE.

Levering's Premium Chocolate in half pound cakes for

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Women's and Children's Mittens, 10c, reduced from 25c.

The balance of Furs to half.

49c Dress Goods reduced to 25c. Remember these dress goods are all wool.

$30 Moquette Rugs, 9x12, reduced to $21.

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THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 2, 1905

THE STATE Corporation Commission convened in this city today for the purpose of listening to the constant complaints made by patrons of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway of delay in the running of trains, lack of heat in cars, &c. The commission will hold night sessions and make a close examination of all the allegations urged regarding defective service on the part of the company. A comparatively large number of persons assembled in the court room to listen to the testimony. About fifty persons had been summoned to testify and as many more, it is said, will be subpœnaed later. Considerable interest has been shown in the matter by the people of this city, as all realize the importance of satisfactory transportation facilities, especially at this period in the city's history. Statements were made today by the counsel acting in the interest of the patrons of the road and by the lawyers representing the railway company. The former portrayed the inconveniences to which the traveling public is subjected, while the counsel for the railway company said that preparations for obliterating all the causes of complaint were being made by his client. Several witnesses for the prosecution were placed on the stand during the day. Their evidence varied but little concerning the unsatisfactory conditions under which passage between Alexandria and Washington is alleged to be made.

MINISTER BOWEN, at Caracas, telegraphed the State Department yesterday that President Castro absolutely refuses to settle the American claims, and recommends that war ships be at once sent to make a naval demonstration against Venezuela. The President, on receiving Mr. Bowen's dispatches, went to the home of Secretary Hay, who is ill, and held a lengthy conference. Plans for teaching Castro a lesson in Mr. Roosevelt's most vigorous fashion, it is said, were completed weeks ago, but the President decided to defer their execution until Congress had adjourned, so as to be free from opposition in the Senate. The plans include a naval demonstration. If that fails to bring Castro to terms Venezuelan custom houses will be seized and held until all American claims have been adjusted. This shows that this country is about to become engaged in another foreign entanglement.

COMMISSIONER MACFARLAND has suggested that the District of Columbia Commissioners request of Congress an appropriation of $10,000 for breaking up the ice in the Potomac river instead of $8,000, which was suggested by the harbormaster. So it appears that even before there is a sign of the melting of the ice in the river another raid is to be made upon the public treasury to open the channel. For years past the Norfolk steamers have done this work for their own benefit and at their own expense, and why the people of the whole country should be taxed for this purpose is known best by those into whose pockets the appropriation goes. For the past few years the money spent by the general government for opening the Potomac channel has been literally money thrown away and those who received it had to laugh as they passed each other on the streets.

MR. ROOSEVELT recently appointed a colored man to a position on a medical board in Missouri, whereupon the white physicians on the board, all resigned and the offices were all abolished to get rid of the colored man. Subsequently it was announced in Washington that "it was understood that Mr. Roosevelt would appoint no more colored men to office in the South." Notwithstanding this, however, he yesterday appointed a colored man as register of the land office at New Orleans. But Louisiana voted for Parker, while Missouri voted for Roosevelt!

THE whipping post recommendations of President Roosevelt are being seriously considered by Congress, especially the necessity for such punishment. The Commissioners of the District, by request, yesterday sent to the Senate statistics showing the following convictions in local courts for wife-beating; 124 in 1900, 104 in 1901, 122 in 1902, 118 in 1903 and 127 in 1904. The whipping post would reduce the number of wife-beaters and petty thieves in the minimum.

GREAT SCOTT; six weeks more of weather!

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings in the Court of Appeals yesterday were:

Norfolk and Western Railway Company vs. Fritts. Fully argued and submitted.

Lewis vs. Apperson. Argued and continued until today.

The next cases to be called are: Oriental Lumber Company vs. Blades Lumber Company, Taylor vs. Tayler, and Chaddock vs. Burke, being Nos. 50, 51 and 52 on argument docket.

Henry German, president of the Credit Lyonnais, died today in Paris.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.

The following nominations were sent to the Senate by the President today. To be Consul, George E. Anderson, of Illinois, at Amoy, China; to be Brigadier General, on the retired list of the army, Col. David P. Heap, corps of engineers; to be U. S. Attorney, W. H. H. Lewallyn, of New Mexico for the district of New Mexico.

The Postmaster General on an opinion by the Comptroller of the Treasury has ordered that the fifteen days annual leave grated clerks in first and second class postoffices shall be used consecutively and shall include Sundays and holidays. Heretofore the clerks have taken fifteen working days off each year.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Charles B. Darling, of Vermont, has sent his resignation to the President to take effect in the fall. The President has accepted it, and will appoint Judge Darling collector of the port at Burlington, Vermont.

Postmaster-general Wynne today dismissed from the service Dary Van Buskirk, David S. Wilder and Charles J. Reuscher, rural free delivery carriers, at Toledo, O. One carrier was cited to show cause why he should not be dismissed and eighteen were suspended for thirty days each. The carriers were charged with violation of the regulations in peddling mining stock along their routes. The stock was that of a Detroit company which figured in some of the disclosures made in the department here during the investigation.

The troubles with Venezuela still afford much talk in government circles. It is officially stated that Mr. Bowen, Minister at Caracas, has not asked the severance of diplomatic relations and his recall.

Secretary of the Navy Morton today sent to the House the information requested in the Fitzgerald resolution, asking for the cause of the delay in the construction of the battleship Connecticut, at the New York navy yard, and why the sister ship Louisiana, built by private enterprise, is so much more rapidly nearing completion. The Secretary's answer shows a "hold up" by the armor trust. He says the Bethlehem Company is furnishing armor for the Louisiana three times as rapidly as the Carnegie company is for the Connecticut. The delay in the work on the Connecticut, he says, is due to no other cause.

The Navy department this afternoon received a dispatch from Commissioner Niles, of the cruiser Boston, saying that the vessel has been pronounced free from yellow fever and that all danger of new cases is passed. All four of the yellow fever cases are convalescing. Paymaster Sackett has been sent to the hospital. The Boston will not proceed north until after her annual target practice has been completed.

Contrary to expectations no definite action was taken on the arbitration treaties at this morning's session of the Senate foreign relations committee. The members engaged in a general discussion of the principles involved and ad journed without reaching any conclusion. The indications are against any favorable action being taken at this session.

Representative Samuel W. Smith, of Michigan, who has been critically ill with pneumonia, was reported to be slightly better this morning.

Representative Adams, of Pennsylvania, today, before the House committee on the District of Columbia, made an argument in favor of his bill providing punishment for wife-beaters in the District of Columbia at the whipping post. The committee took no action.

Fifty-Eighth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 2.

SENATE.

When the Senate met today the fortification appropriation bill was again sent to conference, with instructions to the Senate conferees to insist upon the Senate amendments.

The agricultural appropriation bill carrying amendments aggregating $200,000 in excess of the measure as it passed the House, was taken up.

HOUSE.

Chaplain Couden, today, prayed for the recovery of Representatives Sam Smith of Michigan, and Marsh of Illinois, who are ill with pneumonia.

A bill was passed, amending a law enacted March 2, 1799 providing that agents delivering imports to consignees can give a general bond to insure the payment of customs duties. The ancient law still in force directs that agents give a bond of $1,000 for each article they handle.

Mr. Williams asked unanimous consent that the democrats be allowed to add to their substitute for the Esch-Townsend freight rate bill, a section declaring private freight cars and freight car lines and refrigerator cars and refrigerator car lines to be common carriers.

Mr. Shackleford, a member of the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, who dissented from his colleagues on the Davey bill, and who objected yesterday when the request was made to the House, today withdrew his objection but Mr. Esch entered another.

In committee of the whole consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill was resumed. The subsidy of $142,700 for the Southern Railway to provide special facilities for carrying the mails from Washington to Atlanta and New Orleans before the House when adjournment was had, was again considered, debate being limited to one hour. Mr. Bankhead defended the subsidy.

By a rising vote of 115 to 77, the House refused to strike from the postoffice appropriation bill the subsidy of $142,700 for the Southern Railway for special mail facilities from Washington to New Orleans.

Mr. Baker demanded tellers. Only ten democratic members arose to support his demand, and when the chairman announced that a vote by tellers was denied many members laughed. Mr. Baker, greatly excited, cried out: "This is the funeral of the democratic party," and then there was more laughter.

Joined the Strikers.

Brussels, Feb. 2.—The employes of the Hainut collieries have joined the ranks of the German coal strikers. Ten thousand are idle this morning. A partial strike has also been called in central Belgium. Four thousand are out. A number have also quit work at Liege and Bassin.

Princess Victoria.

London, Feb. 2.—The bulletin issued this morning by the physicians in attendance on Princess Victoria who was operated upon for appendicitis, states that the patient had a somewhat uncomfortable night. Apart from that, however, she is making substantial progress toward recovery.

The Market.

Georgetown, Feb. 2.—Wheat $1.00a$1.13.

News of the Day.

A bill was introduced in the New York legislature yesterday imposing fines from $10 to $100, or imprisonment, on a man who tips a waiter.

The Catholic University has entered suit against Thomas E. and John F. Waggaman to recover $78,309 alleged to be due on promissory notes.

Formal announcement is made of the selection of Mandel Soner, a Baltimore newspaper man, as press agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. Mr. Soner is a nephew of the late Judge J. B. Soner, of Virginia.

James M. A. Watson, convicted of embezzling funds from the District of Columbia, yesterday withdrew his appeal and will be sent to the penitentiary at Moundsville to serve a term of imprisonment.

Rev. Dr. James Henry Darlington, rector of Christ Church, Brooklyn, was elected Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Harrisburg on the thirteenth ballot in St. Stephen's Church, that city, yesterday.

Bowed with age, white haired and faltering in his steps, Richard Croker, who once ruled supreme in Tammany Hall, arrived in New York yesterday to attend the funeral of his son, Frank Croker, who was killed in an automobile accident in Florida.

Representative Hay of Virginia, whose speech Tuesday in opposition to the views of Representative John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, the democratic floor leader, says that in his remarks he did not mention the shackling of Jefferson Davis by General Miles. The Congressional Record bears Mr. Hay out in this statement.

Miss Harriet L. Dalrymple, 71 years old, was found dead in bed yesterday at the home of her brother, Dr. Frederick B. Dalrymple, a clerk in the office of the auditor for the War Department, in Washington. She had been visiting his family about two weeks. Her death was caused by inhaling during the night illuminating gas which had escaped from a gas stove. Coroner Nevitt gave a certificate of accidental death.

Yesterday was the coldest day of the winter in the northwest. The government weather bureau reported 21 degrees below zero in St. Paul. Reports from other northwest points show the following below-zero temperatures: Redfield, S. D., 45; Devils Lake, N. D., 36; Miles City, Mont., 38; Moorhead, Minn., 24; Duluth, 24 degrees below zero. In some parts of Montana the mercury went to 44 below zero. The mercury dropped steadily in Chicago yesterday, and 5 to 8 degrees below zero was predicted for last night.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senators Clark (of Montana), Dillingham, and Teller yesterday continued in the Senate the discussion of the joint statehood bill, Mr. Dillingham supporting the measure as it stands, and the other two Senators contending for amendments and the right of the four Territories to be admitted as so many States. In the course of his remarks in reply to Mr. Dillingham, Mr. Teller charged that Vermont had retrograded, and quoted figures to show that there had been a falling off in the value and number of farms in that State. Mr. Dillingham replied that this condition was due to consolidation of small farms. A number of semi-public bills were passed during the day.

The postoffice appropriation bill occupied attention of the House the major portion of yesterday. In the course of its consideration the usual annual fight on the subject of special mail facilities on trunk lines cropped out, which provoked from Mr. Moon, of Tennessee, an arraignment of those democrats supporting the proposition, whom he charged with favoring a subsidy which would benefit their sections while at the same time they were inveighing against the republican party for its attitude regarding subsidies in general. The bill will be further considered today.

For an hour or more the House digressed and discussed proposed legislation looking to the regulation of railroad rates, the principal remarks being made by Messrs. Shirley, of Kentucky, and Sibley, of Pennsylvania. The bill was laid aside, and the House at 5:09 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

The House provision in the army appropriation bill limiting the pay of retired officers, when detailed on active duty, strictly to the retired pay of their rank, which has been the subject of disagreement between the two Houses, was settled yesterday in conference by the Senate conferees accepting the House provision as to principle. The wording of the provision was so changed that there can be no doubt that such officers shall received the retired pay to which their rank entitles them. There are a dozen other differences between the two Houses on the army bill, all relating to amounts of appropriations, which have not been agreed upon by the conference committee. This agreement settles the controversy as to the pay which Gen. Miles will receive while serving with the Massachusetts militia. He will receive the retired pay of his grade, but not full pay.

RECEIVED BY CZAR.

As was stated in the Gazette, Czar Nicholas yesterday received at Tsarkoe-Selo palace a deputation of 32 workingmen and made a speech to them, promising to do "everything possible" to improve their lot. He also announced a royal gift of $25,000 to the families of those killed in the street fighting of January 22.

These events are expected to calm the strike movement throughout Russia, at least until the government shows exactly what reforms it will bring about.

The association of St. Petersburg manufacturers voted to abide by the decision of the Minister of Finance in regard to the strikers' demands, and to relieve the wants of men made necessitous by loss of pay during the suspension.

Another significant move is the retirement of Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky, the reform Minister of the Interior, whose letting down the bars led to the overwhelming movement for lessening the power of the autocracy. It is considered likely that M. Bouligan, a Moscow treactionary, will succeed him, thus putting a check to reform aspirations.

In Warsaw most of the disorder has subsided, but it is feared the outbreak will be renewed today, the feast of the purification.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Charles A Sinclair and Frances E. Taylor, both of Manassas.

Virginia News.

Fontaine Smith, of lower Fauquier county, who lived alone, was found dead at his home a few mornings ago.

The State military board is in session in Richmond apportioning $12,500 among the military organizations of Virginia.

Miss M. A. Elkins died Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alexander Pratt, in King George county, aged 47 years.

Rev. E. B. Northern, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist Church, Newport News, has accepted a call to First Baptist Church, at Winchester.

S. B. Jacobs, 77 years old, died at his home in Richmond yesterday. He was employed by the Confederacy as expert accountant, and also for many years in the city departments.

Mrs Phoebe Kishpaugh, widow of John Kishpaugh, died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Parker, in Spottsylvania county, of pneumonia, aged 85 years.

Mrs. Mildred Smith Covell, of Wayne, Pa., died in Marshall, Fauquier county, January 27, after a short illness. She was the youngest daughter of the late John Glassell, of Culpeper county.

Edgar Hardy, 11 years old, was accidently shot and killed near Blackstone yesterday. He was rabbit hunting with several companions and in the excitement of shooting at a fleeing rabbit he was killed.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad will hereafter build its own engines, and will erect large shops either in Richmond, Huntington or Clifton Forge. The shops, it is said, will employ from 2,000 to 3,000 men.

A holograph will of the late S. R. Murkland, of Madison Heights, in Amherst county, has been filed in the clerk's office of this county, which gives the bulk of his property to the State Hospital at Staunton.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Mathews, who was Miss Mary Elizabeth Wallace, a native of Fredericksburg, and sister of Mayor Thomas P. Wallace, died on Tuesday at Bristol, Tennessee, in the seventy-fourth year of her age.

It is said that General T. L. Rosser, of Charlottesville, is an applicant for the position of collector of the Richmond internal revenue district, to succeed Captain Asa Rogers. It is reported that the President was ready to appoint General Rosser to the Charlottesville postmastership, but that the old veteran preferred taking his chances of getting the collectorship.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this State of the following patents: William J. Sterling, of Norfolk, for a truck; William J. Branch, of Richmond, for an awning; Charles W. Blake, of Norfolk, for a ship's windlass; John S. Banks, of Portsmouth, for a clothes pin; and Joseph L. Baugley, of Suffolk, for ice-tongs.

Ex-Mayor Seth Low, was at the University of Virginia yesterday, en route home from Hampton, where he delivered the founders' day oration Monday. Mr. Low spoke to the faculty and students in the public hall of the university in the afternoon. Wednesday evening he and Mrs. Low were entertained at dinner by President and Mrs. Alderman at their home, Comyn Hall.

Miss Edmonia Taylor and Mr. C. A. Sinclair, both of Manassas, were married yesterday in Washington at Trinity Episcopal Church, in the presence of a few of their near relatives and a friend. The bride is the youngest daughter of T. O. Taylor, ex-Mayor of Manassas, and is twenty-one years of age. The groom is the only son and law partner of A. W. Sinclair, of Manassas, and a graduate in law.

BATTLE OF THE HUN.

Details of the battle of the Hun river, which continued January 25 to 29, inclusive, and ended in a Japanese victory, show it to have been in many respects a remarkable conflict. The Japanese earthworks which the Russians attacked were frozen so solidly that they were, like a battleship's armor, impervious to shells. The Russian gunners wept at their failure. So intense was the cold that blood froze as soon as it exuded from a wound, causing intense pain. Wounded men who were not promptly attended died within an hour. Statistics show that there have been but 40 deaths from disease in General Oku's army since May 6—an extraordinary tribute to Japanese medical skill.

A Russian supply station at Tenchien has been abandoned, the Russian troops having retired northward to Song Chin, after destroying the telegraph line. It is rumored they will move farther north shortly. Apparently Russia's elaborate preparations for a campaign on the Korean coast have been abandoned.

W. L. A. Burdett-Coutts, M. P., speaking at the Westminister Conservative Club in London last night, said the government would remain in office until the Russo-Japanese war was concluded, and predicted the ending of that conflict in the coming summer. He said the Anglo-Japanese alliance was the most important act of foreign policy ever achieved by Great Britain, and Premier Balfour was bound by every consideration of honor and patriotism to remain in office during the critical period, "when, the war being closed, other powers might step in and perhaps rob our ally as shamelessly as they robbed her before." With the closing of the war, the speaker said, would come a period of fine diplomacy, and it was impossible that the time should find the country in the throes of a general election.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Today's Telegraphic News

THE McCUE CASE.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Feb. 2.—The Governor's mail brings each day many letters asking executive clemency in the McCue case. The letters are mostly from ladies. The prisoner has made no further move. To all letters the Governor replies that he will no further interfere. McCue is a member of the State Bar Association, his dues being paid up to July 1, 1905. In a group pictures taken at the last meeting of the association McCue, his wife and little daughter Ruby were central figures.

Affairs in Russia.

St Petersburg, Feb. 2.—It is impossible to confirm the sensational reports current since the meeting of the Czar and representatives of the workmen that his majesty intends to give the people a constitution. In fact, well informed persons say such a report is entirely without foundation. They assert that the Czar is simply urging haste in the drawing up of the reforms outlined in the imperial ukase of December 25. It is not believed the mass of people will at present be given a voice in determining national affairs, but it is suggested the more intellectual classes may be placated by the enlargement of the membership of the council of the empire. This council, it is though, will be made to resemble the British privy council, and with the members of the body the Czar will consult, although he will not be bound to accept the advice given. The general opinion in all circles is that some reforms will be inaugurated but it is not thought they will take the form of an extension of the educational facilities and a less rigid censorship of the press.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—Senator Sveref, director of censorship, resigned his position today. The official announcement regarding the change in the office of director of censorship indicates that Senator Sveref was removed from his position.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—While a battery of artillery was crossing the Egyptian bridge over Fontaka canal this afternoon the bridge collapsed. Forty soldiers were injured, but no fatalities occurred.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—Maxim Gorki, the author who was arrested at Riga last week, for his connection with the revolutionary movements, was released today.

Warsaw, Feb. 2.—The strikers are expected to resume work on Monday. In the meantime efforts to alleviate the sufferings of the strikers families are being pushed. The funds for this purpose are being organized and the employers are largely subscribing to the funds through sympathy with the strikers political demands. The situation in the rest of Poland is more peaceful today.

Odessa, Feb. 2.—Galevine, chief of police, who was shot in the right shoulder yesterday by a would-be assassin, passed a comfortable night. The bullet has been removed and it is hoped that he will recover. The chief's assailant, who refused to give his name or to tell anything about himself, declares that all police officials are doomed. This city is quiet today.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—The correspondent of the Public Press Association today had a talk with one of the workmen who yesterday were admitted to private audience with the Czar at Tsarskoe-Selo. The workman, who is an intelligent spinner, spoke in glowing terms of the event, the Czar's kindliness in promising improved conditions and the conciliatory spirit which governed the entire interview. He said: "Half of us were moved to tears by the Czar's words. And we are confident he will keep his promise. We were all delighted. We were treated like generals returning from a war. I think the workmen have definitely abandoned Father Gopon, whom most of us accuse of using the workmen for political motives. I believe ninety per cent. of the workmen will be most glad to resume work."

Mrs. Rogers Reprieved.

Windsor, Vt., Feb. 2.—That a poison powder sent from Boston to Mrs. Mary Rogers in the Windsor state prison did not enable her to cheat the gallows by suicide, is due solely to the honesty of one of the prison officials. This official who received the letter containing the poison money, and directions for smuggling the drug to Mrs. Rogers, immediately turned it over to Superintendent Cakes of the state prison, who forwarded it to the Boston postoffice inspectors.

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 2.—Governor Bell announced that he would grant a reprive in the case of Mrs. Mary Rogers until June 2.

Governor Berlin announcing his decision said: "I do this expressly on the ground she claims through her attorney that she has not had a fair trial and that the evidence presented against her was false. I do not in any way pass upon the question as to whether such is the fact. I leave that question entirely with the court, to which she now has full recourse."

Fire at Cramp's Shipyard.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—Fire early this morning destroyed the chart room at Cramps shipyard and did damage estimated at about $25,000. One fireman was injured. The building contained the working plans for the new battleships Idaho and Mississippi, two Clyde line ships, revenue cutter Galveston, and a Venezuelan government boat, the Espanza. Those of the Colorado and Pennsylvania, just finished and the Tennessee, now being completed, were also burned. The armored cruiser Pennsylvania lay directly in the path of the flames, but ashes and cinders covered her deck until streams from two fire boats washed them overboard. The flames are supposed to have originated from a burning cigar stump, carelessly dropped in a toilet room.

Sleigh Struck by Train.

Hornellsville, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The pall of grief and horror that overshadows this place occasioned by the most terrible disaster that has ever visited it, is beyond imagination. From the most prominent homes float the symbols of death, while hundreds mourn the loss of friends. Two miles west of this city last evening, while returning from an afternoon of merriment a sleigh containing 13 members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Universalist Church was struck by a train over the Pittsburg, Shawmut and Northern Railroad. Six of the occupants were killed instantly, four died in the hospital later, and three are still in that institution, one of whom will probably die. The driver of the sleigh, Elijah Quick, escaped with a few injuries.

The alleged bomb which was found in Avenue Marigny, near the wall of the Elysee, Paris, last night, was taken to the city laboratory this morning. Examination showed that it was harmless, consisting of a bottle filled with earth and wrapped in paper.

Birth in a Snow Bank.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—The stork came to Mrs. Martha Clark as she lay in a snow bank into which she had sunk at 20th and Hamilton streets at 4:30 this morning. She had left her home, 1936 Ralston street, to seek the Preston Retreat, a maternity hospital, which is only a stone's throw from where she fell. Hearing a commotion in the street the matron of the Retreat telephoned the police headquarters that a woman was being robbed. When the patrol clattered up a few minutes later the policemen put away their clubs and pistols, wrapped mother and babe in blankets and carried them into the hospital. Both are doing well. Mrs. Clark is 29 years old.

Anti-Semitic League.

Liverpool, Feb. 2.—The Post hears that the anti-Semitic League, which is being formed in London, is receiving very much support. No political appeals have been made, but from all parties a number of men of influence and position have joined the cause, and this has occasioned some surprise. The efforts of the league will be directed against the growing influence of the Jews in finance and journalism, especially the former. The league repudiates hostility to the Jews on racial or religious grounds but alleges that the influence of Jews in finance is injurious to the public interest.

Will Resist Extradition.

Boston, Feb. 2.—Arthur E. Appleyard, the Boston traction promoter, whose name figured prominently in the investigation of the affairs of the failed German Bank, in Buffalo, will probably resist extradition to New York if the Governor of New York asks of Governor Douglas the surrender of the Massachusetts man. Fred H. Williams, Boston counsel for Appleyard, has asked for a hearing on the question of extradition as soon as extradition papers arrive at the State House.

Averse to Hanging a Woman.

Reading, Pa., Feb. 2.—That the people of Pennsylvania revolt against the spectacle of a woman being hanged in this State, was shown today by the announcement that more than 1,500 letters and 200 petitions each besides bearing scores of names were forwarded to Gov. Pennypacker within the week on behalf of Kate Edwards, who is doomed to die here on February 16. She was recently convicted of murdering her husband.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The new Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railroad Company, owners of the Queen Anne Railroad, the Weems line of steamers, and the Chester river steamboat company, effected permanent organization in Wilmington, Del., today. S. M. Prevost was elected president.

The conference between General Hedley, of the Interborough Company in New York and representatives of the company, which began at 11 o'clock this morning, was concluded at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Hedley said that every had been amicably settled and that there would be no strike on the subway.

More Corruption.

The federal grand jury at Portland, Oreg., yesterday indicted United States Senator John H. Mitchell for bribery on six counts in connection with the land-frauds investigation. The indictment against Senator Mitchell alleges that while a Senator from that State to the federal Congress he accepted on seven different occasions sums of money aggregating $4,200 from a timber land dealer named Frederick R. Kribs for services rendered, it is alleged, in inducing Congressman Binger Hermann, then Commissioner of the General Land Office at Washington, to expedite, make special, and approve certain applications for public lands and recommend the issuing of patents to the land.

An upheaval in the Illinois legislature, possibly rivaling the recent boodling exposures in the legislature of Missouri, may be the outcome of an address made by Representative Frank D. Comerford, of Chicago, to the students of the Illinois College of Law a few days ago. The general assembly yesterday appointed a committee of seven to investigate Mr. Comerford's charges, which are reported as specifically alleging that the Illinois legislature is a great public auction, where special privileges are sold to the highest corporation bidders, and that without respect to party affiliations the 'grafters' seem to be in the majority.

Bishop Scalabrini, of the diocese of Piacenza, Italy, will probably be a candidate for a cardinalate at the next consistory at the Vatican. The Pope is desirous of rewarding Bishop Scalabrini for his labors in the interest of Italian emigrants to the United States. The news of the illness of Bishop Spalding, of Peoria, Ill., provoked intense sympathy from his wide circle of friends at the Vatican.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 25c.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 2.—The general undertone of the stock market this morning was that of strength, although irregularity again was shown as a result of further profit taking and bear operations. The anthracite coalers were distinctly buoyant features, with advances of from 1 to 3 per cent. In the industrial list there were no sensational features. At the beginning of the second hour the market showed somewhat increased strength.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

The efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the relief of rheumatism is being demonstrated daily. Parker Triplett, of Grisby, Va., says that Chamberlain's Pain Balm gave him permanent relief from rheumatism in the back when everything else failed, and he would not be without it. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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McCue Must Hang.

Governor Montague will not interfere with the execution of the sentence of death pronounced upon J. Samuel McCue, ex-mayor of Charlottesville. He has written those interested in the circulation of a petition for executive clemency that no petition can change his mind. He states further that any interference on his part now would be a plain usurpation of authority.

A special from Charlottesville, Va., to the Richmond News Leader says Rev. R. E. Jennings, a native of Augusta county, and a wellknown evangelist of the Baptist denomination, came there Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of visiting J. Samuel McCue. The preacher was admitted to the prisoner's cell. He told McCue that he was well acquainted with his wife and that the last time he had seen her was during a revival meeting he was conducting in the Valley of Virginia over a year ago. McCue told the preacher that he had but a short time on earth; that he had but one more Sunday and that after he is gone he would enjoy a continual Sabbath in heaven. He said that he had not received justice at his trial, but that he would get justice at the bar of God, where he would meet his dear wife, the best woman on earth; that he was perfectly resigned to his fate, and that the God of all mercy and love would make all things right. The preacher said that, in all his ministry, he had never met a man more firm in his faith in God.

As the minister left the cell, and when he was bidding McCue farewell, the prisoner placed in his hand a little bunch of violets, with the request that he present them to his wife with his compliments and ask her to meet him in heaven. McCue, while exhibiting an extremely nervous condition of mind and body, seems to be firm and submissive, and perfectly resigned to his fate. The few who are allowed to visit the prisoner say that he looks pitiful. Many who believe in his guilt and think that his sentence is just express sympathy for his unfortunate condition.

Arrested in Philadelphia.

Robert Casey, said by the police to be a notorious burglar, who is wanted by the Virginia authorities to answer the charge of participating in the robbery of the First National Bank of Manassas on November 11, 1904, was arrested in Philadelphia Friday night. The Virginia police authorities have been notified of his arrest.

A dispatch from Lahore, India, says that the rivers Zohob and Gaul are soda frozen solid. The cold throughout India is more severe than it has been in the memory of the oldest native.

Statement of the Financial Condition OF THE VIRGINIA SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CORPORATION

At Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business January 11th, 1905, made to the State Corporation Commission.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$199,022 84
Overdrafts	672 25
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	56,605 63
Banking house	12,747 10
Furniture and fixtures	995 97
Checks and other cash items	1,364 86
Due from National Banks	26,311 90
Due from State Banks and Private Bankers	44,381 01
Specie, nickels and cents	361 12
Paper currency	29,320 04
Total	$371,688 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$159,910 00
Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, expenses and taxes	4,178 27
Individual deposits subject to check	178,860 79
Demand certificates of deposit	1,160 50
Certified checks	2,239 10
Due to National Banks	32,339 37
Total	$371,688 03

I, C. J. Rixey, President, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation, located at Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 11th day of January, 1905, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. J. RIXEY, President.

Correct—Attest:
H. BAADER,
C. C. LEADBEATER,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Directors.

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of January, 1905.

FRANCIS F. MARBURY,
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 5, 1905.

4 Cans Tomatoes, 25c.

New York Rural Potatoes, 65c bushel; Best Hams, 12½c lb; Cut Hams, 8c lb; 7 lbs Buckwheat, 25c; 3 cans Corn, 25c; 3 cans Peas, 25c; 4 lb Evaporated Apples, 25c; Prunes, 5c; Levering's Premium Chocolate, 10c half pound. All you want.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON,
400 south Royal street.

WANTED.—A WOMAN to do general house work. Apply at No. 222 north St. Asaph street. jan13 tf

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 2, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:05 and sets 5:23. High water at 6:49 a. m. and 7:05 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair, colder tonight. Friday fair, continued cold; minimum temperature tonight about 6°; diminishing westerly winds.

The Electric Railway.

It was stated in a Washington paper this morning that officers of the electric railway company had decided upon retrenchment to offset the expenses of the road and that the pay of the clerks in the company's office, Washington, and the train men would soon be made. A representative of the Gazette today made inquiries concerning the matter of President C. P. King and Treasurer J. K. Swartz of the electric road, and both said the report was news to them and that there was no truth whatever in it. Mr. King said that for some time it has been the policy of his company to increase the pay of its employees whenever the finances of the road justified it and that such policy would be continued. He said, moreover, that his company was now paying its men more money than a number of similar roads was paying its employees. The pay of the trolleymen, it is said, was raised at the first of the year.

Mr. King was also asked concerning the report of the change of mangement of the road and was told that his interviews published in Washington papers were contradictory. He replied that he was now a target being shot at by the public generally, but that he was not responsible for the interviews mentioned, as he had given out none of them. He added that in due time he would make a statement concerning his company but till after the annual meeting of stockholders, there will be little to give out. Continuing he said: "You can say, however, that I expect to continue as president of the company."

The District of Columbia yesterday filed its answer to the suit of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway company, recently filed. The respondent denies that the railway company has expended the sum claimed ($41,261), and claims that the tracks of the complainant company have not yet been removed from E street, to cover the cost of which the company sued. Any sum to which the company may be entitled would have to be appropriated by Congress. The jurisdiction of the court is acknowledged by the District, but it denies that the petitioner has shown expenditures to justify any judgment to be rendered in its favor against the District.

Personal.

Mr. H. E Swan, of Maxson and Swan, the popular O'Reilly street merchants, yesterday received his appointment as a member of the Spanish treaty claims commission. Mr. Swan will take testimony in Cuba for the commission, a task for which he is peculiarly well qualified by his perfect command of Spanish and the high intelligence and probity which has made him so successful in business in Havana.—[Havana Post, January 18.] Mr. Swan is a brother of Messrs W. E. and C. B Swan, the well-known dry goods merchant, of this city.

Colonel and Mrs. Willard will have as their guests this summer Sir Wilfried Laurier, premier of Canada. Colonel Willard met Sir Wilfried at the Hot Springs several years ago and was invited to visit him at the opening of this session of parliament. The premier is anxious to view the battlegrounds of the South, and is anticipating a most interesting trip to Virginia.

Miss Pauline Nicol, of Manasses, is visiting Miss Mary Smith, at 27 west Preston street, Baltimore.

The Charlottesville Postmaster.

The republican conferees for the Seventh district have forwarded to Washington their indorsement of C. W. Hulfish for postmaster at Charlottesville. The recommendation is unanimous and is couched in strong terms. The referees say that they endorse Mr. Hulfish in view of his high character, his business qualifications, his fine local endorsement, and in the belief that the appointment would be in line with putting the republican party in Virginia in shape for aggressive fighting in the future. W. G. Saltsman, the incumbent, claims to have the endorsement of Congressman Slemp for reappointment. The Charlottesville postoffice is the best political plum of the Seventh district. Mr Hulfish is a nephew of Mr. Worth Hulfish and son-in-law of Mr. Chas. King, of this city.

Barefooted in the Snow.

About nine o'clock last night Officer Lyles found a young white woman named Sallie Porter straying through the streets in the snow bareheaded and barefooted. She was carrying her shoes under one arm. The officer upon accosting her saw she was under the influence of liquor, and conducted her to the station house where she passed the night close to a stove. This morning when placed in the dock of the Police Court she stated that she had been ejected from a house in the northeastern section of the city. She was dismissed upon a promise to leave the city.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Sallie Porter, arrested by Officer Lyles for being drunk in the street, was dismissed with an admonition.

Robert Webb, a colored boy, arrested by Officers Arrington and Ferguson charged with appropriating a small sum of money entrusted to his care, was dismissed upon promising to make good the amount to the owner.

Colder Weather.

The weather is again cold. Snow began to fall about four o'clock yesterday evening, but soon ceased. At an early hour this morning the wind shifted to the northwest from which quarter it blew sharp and cold. The mercury in the thermometer at 7 o'clock this morning had fallen to 20°. The sun which till after 9 o'clock had been obscured then shone bright and the groundhog saw his shadow. It is therefore the general belief that six weeks more winter weather will follow.

Miss Jeannette Miriam Goldberg, field lecturer of the Council of Jewish Women, will deliver a lecture in the Jewish Synagogue, on north Washington street, tonight.

Meeting of the Commission.

When the State Corporation Commission convened in the Corporation Court room shortly after 11 o'clock this morning the room was well filled with a representative gathering of citizens, including a number of ladies, and by noon every chair was occupied and a large number of people were standing. Judge Crump and Messrs. Henry Fairfax and Henry Stuart presided, and Assistant Chief Clerk Lanier and Bailiff Williams were in their places. City Attorney Gardner L. Boothe and Mr. Leo P. Harlow conducted the examination of witnesses, and Mr. R. Walton Moore appeared as counsel for the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company, against which complaints have been made of inefficient service. Mr. C. P. King, the president of the road, and Mr. J. Colvin, the superintendent, were in the court room.

When the court was called to order Judge Crump arose and stated that the commission was sitting as a court to hear complaints against the general character of the service of the Mount Vernon Railway, and as Messrs. Boothe and Harlow would appear as counsel for the State, they would have the opening and closing.

Mr. Boothe made the opening address. He said that the complaints against the electric road were not being made by a few kickers, but that the entire community objects to the miserable service. He said the interests of the railway company and the city and county of Alexandria should be identical, but that since this railway was chartered it pursued a policy of antagonism to Alexandria and unkept promises to the people. Mr. Boothe said that people are daily being forced to move from this city to Washington and that the interests of the city are correspondingly suffering. He said that the prosecution would put on the staud experts who would testify that the rolling stock of the road is in a dangerous condition and others who would state that it is not unusual for cars to be from one to two hours late between here and Washington. Mr. Boothe stated that there has been an improvement in the sanitary condition of the cars in the past few weeks, brought about by constant complaints, but that the heating arrangements are criminally defective. Promises to have the cars properly heated were made last summer only to be broken, he said, and the heaters are now piled up at the Four-mile run power house. He said the company has ample electric power to heat the cars, but that a conductor was authority for the statement that the one car that has been equipped with heating apparatus was not properly wired and the heaters had as well not have been installed. Mr. Boothe said that in twelve years the electric railway company has purchased one new car, and even that one has not been kept in repair. He made the announcment that "the rolling stock of the road has been sacrificed to dividends" and read and compared the annual statements of the company for the years 1903 and 1904. In closing Mr. Boothe said that the people of Alexandria place absolutely no confidence in promises made by the electric railway officials, and asked the commissioners to impose a fine of $100 per day for each day that the mandate of the commission is not obeyed after a reasonable time. He then read a list of what the public demands as follows: Ten new motor cars to be in service by August 1; double tracks from Alexandria to the Long bridge to be in use by July 1; heaters in every car within ten days; the roadbed to be improved by July 1; a modern rotary snow sweeper to be on hand in thirty days and a supply of incandescent lamps in each car to promptly replace lamps that are broken or burned out.

On behalf of the railway company Mr. Moore said that he recognized that the interests of the city and the company are identical, and it was a mistake to say that the railway company has acted in a spirit of antagonism. He admitted that conditions are unsatisfactory, but said that the matter should be dealt with in a temperate and business like manner. Mr. Moore said that his client was not anxious to protract this controversy, and unless some startling statement were made during the hearing he would remain silent. He said, however, that whatever might have happened in the past, he could state today authoritatively that in the very near future an exceptionally fine interurban electric railway will be in operation between this city and Washington, and that later in the proceedings Mr. King, the president of the Mount Vernon road, would take the stand and tell frankly what efforts are being made to raise the necessary funds to bring about this transformation. Mr. Moore said that he was in a position to know that the funds would soon be in hand, and he ventured a prediction that the people of Alexandria would very shortly be satisfied with the service.

The prosecution then placed on the stand its first witness, Dr. Charles T. Lindsey, a dentist, whose home is in this city and whose office is in Washington. Dr. Lindsey stated that he had been a commuter on the electric road since it commenced operation and had recently made memorandums of instances of inefficient service, cold cars, etc. At the request of counsel he read from these notes and commented thereon. Among other statements that he made was that each motor car is equipped with a sand box, but he had noticed that whenever a car became stalled the conductor had to get off and pour sand on the tracks from a bucket.

John M. Reed, a machinist, employed at the navy yard at Washington, testified that the cars had been "sadly neglected" and that the service was "something fierce." He said he had noticed loose frames, nuts off of bolts, guard rails not properly fastened and flat wheels on cars day after day. He said he was on different occasions compelled to leave home fully two hours before the time he is expected to report for duty at the navy yard, and returning at night he has frequently reached Alexandria from one to three hours late.

Miss Mamie Grigg, a teacher at the Arlington school, in Alexandria county; Mr. William T. Goods, a merchandise broker; Rev. Mr. Massie, a professor at the Theological Seminary; Mr. T. H. Netherland, one of the official stenographers to President Roosevelt, and the president of the commuters' association; Mr. Sherman B. Fowler, a clerk in the War Department, and Mr. Milton Morrill, a government architect, were on the stand during the morning session.

The testimony was of a cumulative character, and brought out the fact that trains are constantly delayed, the cars are usually of an icy temperature, trains that are scheduled are frequently annulled, etc.

At the afternoon session, which commenced promptly at 2:30 o'clock the court room was again well filled. The questions by the counsel for the prosecution took a different turn, an effort being made to show that there is a strong sentiment among those who travel between this city and Washington in favor of the commissioners ordering the reestablishment of the steam local trains. All of the witnesses questioned on this point expressed a desire to use the steam trains in preference to the electric railway under present conditions. Walter E. Pinkham, an architect in the Treasury Department, Albert C. Murdaugh, a real estate broker; J. Hanson Price, a clerk in the office of the chief engineer of the army; Samuel P. Fisher, of the Board of Aldermen; Capt. Albert Bryan, F. A. Stoutenburgh, Courtland Lukens, Julian Taylor and others testified along the lines of those who had proceeded. Mr. Lukens in his testimony referred to the excessive rates charged from Alexandria south. Mr. Moore objected on the ground that the question of fares was not supposed to enter in the investigation and Mr. Harlow called attention to the fact that Mr. Lukens' statemnent was voluntary. The hearing was in progress when this report closed.

Tomorrow the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia at the relation of the State Corporation Commission vs. the Washington Southern Railway Company will be given a hearing.

Charters.

Judge Barley has approved the application for a charter for the Golden Cross Society, incorporated. The incorporators are A. H. Glenn, J. L. Petus, J. F. Roberts, May G. Moody and H. M. Hawkins, all colored. The object of the society is to provide homes for poor people and for other charitable purposes.

The legal formalities connected with the incorporation of the Maryland Finance Company have been completed and the papers were filed before Judge Barley in the Corporation Court in this city yesterday evening. The company is to be a Virginia concern, but while its main office will be in Alexandria, its direction and affairs will be centered in Baltimore. This is the company which will be behind the assets of the Maryland Trust Company in its efforts to settle with creditors and so relieve the stockholders of liability on this account. The Maryland Finance Company has a capital of $500,000, with the right to increase to $750,000. It was stated yesterday by those who have been seeking to raise this capital that the full sum is now in sight and that nothing stands in the way of the final incorporation of the company. Its directors will be Messrs. Alexander Brown, Douglas H. Thomas, Waldo Newcomer, Douglas H. Gordon, Ernest Hoen, B. Howell Griswold, jr., all of Baltimore, and J. T. Burke, of Alexandria. Mr. Burke was added to the board because the laws of Virginia require at least one citizen of that State in the directorate. Mr. Alexander Brown will accept the presidency of the new corporation.

Judge Barley having approved the application for the charter, the latter will be presented to the State Corporation Commission for its approval at once.

Candlemas Day.

Candlemas Day was observed as the feast of the Purification in the Catholic Church. Although not a holy day of obligation, it is one of special devotion. At the early mass wax candles were blessed. The feast commemorates the day on which the infant Saviour was presented in the temple by His mother and St. Joseph, who at the same time made an offering of two turtle doves. The faithful usually make an offering of candles to the church, and these are burned on the altars during the year.

Ladies' Ball.

A number of ladies of the city will, at McBurney's Hall tomorrow night, give a dance in compliment to the Alexandria German Club, in return for the many pleasant dances given by that club during the season. The hall will be beautifully decorated for the occasion, fine music has been secured and the ball will be such an affair as will reflect credit on those who will manage it.

River Notes.

The steamer Washington from Norfolk arrived up this morning about two hours late. She reported no change in conditions on the river. The ice extends to the mouth, while much is encountered in the bay.

The Weems line steamer Anne Arundel will make no trip from Baltimore this week.

Accident to a Lady.

Mrs. R. W. Gaillard, while walking on the north side of Wolfe street, between Fairfax and Royal, late yesterday evening, slipped and fell on the ice. She sustained serious injuries and sprained one of her limbs. Mrs. Gaillard was taken into the house in front of which she had fallen and later conveyed in a carriage to her home on south St. Asaph street.

New Club.

A number of gentlemen of the city are engaged in organizing a new social club and are looking at several handsome pieces of property either of which would be suitable for a club house. The membership bids fair to be large and the house will be fitted in modern style. Those engaged in the enterprise are quite enthusiastic over the matter.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Charlotte Kesseler, whose death occurred Tuesday night, took place this afternoon from the residence of Mr. Miliard Tiger, her son-in-law, on King street, between Henry and Fayette. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. May of Emanuel Lutheran Church, and Rev. Mr. Carpenter, of Grace Church.

Friendship Veterans.

The Friendship Veteran Firemen's Association held a meeting last night at which considerable business was transacted. Preliminary arrangements for the proper observance of the 22d of February were instituted. The association will vie with the George Washington Association in the festivities of the occasion.

Rearrested.

Samuel R. Taylor, colored, was today arrested by Officer Roberts and committed to jail on the charge of forging names to a deed on which $200 was recently obtained from a building association in this city. Taylor was arrested about two weeks ago on the same charge and dismissed for want of evidence.

Paralyzed.

Mr. John Wenzel while in the store of Messrs. Harlow & Bro., early this morning, was stricken with paralysis. He was taken to his room in the old City Hotel building, just opposite, where he later received medical attention.

Car Robbed.

A Baltimore and Ohio Railroad freight car was broken open and robbed on Union street Tuesday night. The thieves secured eight dozen pairs of gloves, some playing cards and a accordion.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. W. D. Hudson, while eating breakfast this morning, swallowed three false teeth.

It developed that Hoch, the "Bluebeard," who is said to have married at least a score of women and murdered about half of them, has one wife, and perhaps two, in Baltimore. Returns from Alexandria have not been received.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present at the prayer meeting to be held by the Allison W. C. T. U. Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Children's Home.

The regular business meeting of the Allison W. C. T. U. will be held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the parlors of the Children's Home. A full attendance is desired.

Mr. J. D. Knight has been given the contract for remodelling the interior of the store of Messrs. M. Ruben & Sons.

Fiendish Suffering

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Ulcers, Sores and Cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; guaranteed.

Nothing Equals Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Dr. P. B. Spears, of Pinchard, Ala, has become acquainted with the good qualities of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and uses it in his own family and in his practice. He says: "It beats any preparation I have ever seen for all bowel complaints, I do not think of recommending any other, and also use it with my own children." This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Coughs and Colds.

All coughs, colds and pulmonary complaints that are curable are quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure. Clears the phlegm draws out inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts, strenghtens the lungs, wards off pneumonia. Harmless and pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Hereafter and until further notice store will close at 5:30 p. m.

Our February Furniture Sale

represents a splendid collection of useful, practical and decorative high-grade Furniture for all parts of the house, except the kitchen, offered at

25, 33 1-3 and 50 Per Cent. Below Usual Prices.

Included are many high-class pieces from our regular stock, every one of which is an exceptional value.

Sixth and seventh floors, G street building.

Men's New $1 & $1.50 Cravats AT 65c.

One of the most prominent Men's Neckwear manufacturers has placed in our hands about 50 dozen ties, made from high-grade silks, at a figure which allows us to sell them at nearly half and less than half regular prices. There are only two grades represented—Those that sell regularly for $1 and $1.50.

Special Price, 65c.

Men's Store, main floor, F street.

Men's French Lisle Half Hose.

We offer at a special price a lot of Men's high-grade Fancy French Lisle Half Hose. They are made on hand looms and are the perfection of weave, strength and appearance. The colored designs on black, blue and slate grounds are of the daintiest sort imaginable. All sizes from 9½ to 11, inclusive.

$1 a Pair. $1.50 and $1.75 Grades.

Paper Fiber Vests for Out-of-Door Men.

These vests, because of the protection and comfort they afford the wearer, should appeal very forcibly to any man whose vocation causes him to be exposed to the cold.

They retain the heat of the body and prevent the penetration of the wind and cold. They come in all sizes.

Prices 50c and 75c.

Men's Store, Main floor, F st.

Tomorrow, Friday, Is REMNANT DAY.

With thousands of individual sales daily there must be a constant watchfulness and clearing out of things that are not absolutely fresh, that are broken in sizes or scratched or marred or otherwise unfit for regular stock.

Every Friday we clear out these several classes of remnants by putting prices on them that will do it quickly and completely.

Prices on an average are down much lower than usual for tomorrow, and there are many attractive lots of goods included which were secured especially for this weekly sale.

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A FEBRUARY SALE OF WHITE GOODS AND LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR NOW IN PROGRESS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

New Hamburg Embroidery.

2,000 yds New Embroidery, the 5c, 6c and 8c quality. Sale price, yd..... 4½c
1,000 yds, 10c and 12½c Embroidery. Sale price, yd..... 8c
10 pieces very wide Corset Cover Embroidery, worth 39c and 50c. Sale price, yd, 25c and..... 35c

New White Waist Materials.

Two pieces New Imported Thin White Goods, 35c quality. Sale price..... 25c
Ten pieces Fine White Goods, regular 25c quality. Sale price..... 18c
Ten pieces Fine White Goods, usual 12½c and 15c quality. Sale price..... 9½c

Fine White India Linen.

Fine White India Linens, 36 inches wide, very special at these prices.
Regular 10c quality, now, yd..... 8c
Regular 12½c quality, now, yd..... 10c
Regular 15c quality, now, yd..... 12½c
Regular 20c quality, now, yd..... 15c
Regular 25c quality, now, yd..... 19c
Regular 35c quality, now, yd..... 25c

Fine White English Long Cloth.

12½c English Long Cloth, now..... 9½c
15c English Long Cloth, now..... 10½c
Ten pieces Fruit of the Loom Bleached Muslin. Special price, yd..... 7½c

Fine White Persian Lawn

12½c White Persian Lawn, now..... 10c
25c White Persian Lawn, now..... 18c
35c White Persian Lawn, now..... 25c

Ladies' Fine Muslin Underwear.

Every garment guaranteed perfect, and at these special prices are unusually desirable. The reductions for one week are as follows:
Ladies' 25c Muslin Pants, pair..... 21c
Ladies' 50c Muslin Pants, pair..... 39c
Ladies' 25c Muslin Corset Covers, each..... 20c
Ladies' 50c Muslin Corset Covers, each..... 39c
Ladies' 75c Muslin Corset Covers, each..... 59c
Ladies' 50c Muslin Gowns, each..... 39c
Ladies' 75c Muslin Gowns, each..... 63c
Ladies' $1.00 Muslin Gowns, each..... 79c
Ladies' $1.50 Muslin Gowns, each..... $1.19
Ladies' 50c Muslin Skirts, each..... 39c
Ladies' 75c Muslin Skirts, each..... 63c
Ladies' $1.00 Muslin Skirts, each..... 79c
Ladies' $1.50 Muslin Skirts, each..... $1.19
Ladies' $1.98 Muslin Skirts, each..... $1.39
Ladies' $2.25 Muslin Skirts, each..... $1.69
Ladies' $2.98 Muslin Skirts, each..... $2.39

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Our stock is large, select and moderately priced.

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5-cup size..... $1.00
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AT 9c A PAIR.

HALF HOSE; seamless, in black and tan.

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75c " " " " 62½c
50c Goods, single and double breasted at..... 37½c
39c Goods, single and double breasted, at..... 33c
25c Goods, Ladies' Ribbed..... 20c
25c Goods, Men's..... 15c
15c Goods, Children's Ribbed..... 10c

WOOL UNDERSKIRTS.
$1.25 Goods, all wool, at..... $1.00
$1.00 " " " " 75c
$1.00 " Ribbed, at 75c
75c " " " 62½c
50c " " " 39c
39c " " " 33c

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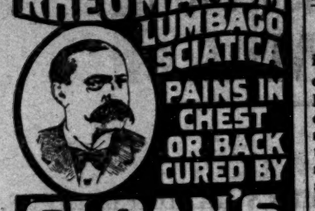

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Beans.

Just received two tons of New Beans which I am going to sell at 7½c per quart, 53c per peck. These beans are strictly first-class and they shall not be advanced.

Mother's Oats.

A large supply of Mother's Oats, fresh from the mill. They are offered at 8c per package as long as they last.

Eggs.

Western Eggs..... 27c per dozen
Fresh Eggs, guaranteed..... 30c " "

Butter.

Western Creamery..... 27c per pound
Virginia Roll Prints..... 25c " "
Good Cooking Butter..... 22c " "

All the finer grades are also carried, such as Elk Grove, Pasteurized and fine seperator goods. No oleo handled.

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2? barrels Apples which were selling at $1.60, are offered at $1.25, empty barrel returnable,

Fancy packed Baldwin and Greening Apples, $2.25 per barrel.

Florida Tomatoes and Lettuce.

Oranges.

Sweet, juicy Oranges which were selling 25c, are now 20c per dozen.

The Consumers Store.

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Bell 'Phone 200. Goods delivered free in the city.

AUCTION SALES.

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE ENTERED on the 9th day of November, 1904, in the chancery cause of Eliza A. Seaton vs. William Parker et als., pending in the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., the undersigned commissioners therein named will offer for sale on

SATURDAY,

the 4th day of February, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the market building, the following described LOT OF GROUND in the said city of Alexandria, bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Alfred street, at the middle of the square between Prince and Duke streets, and running thence south on Alfred street thirty-six (36) feet; thence east the same width as in front one hundred (100) feet to an alley, with the use of the alley and all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash and the balance in two equal payments in six and twelve months, the deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent. from date of sale, and title to be retained until the purchase money is paid; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All costs of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

FRANCIS L. SMITH,
K. KEMPER,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
DOUGLASS STUART,
Commissioners.

I, John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., do hereby certify that Douglass Stuart, one of the commissioners in the above mentioned suit, has entered into bond before me in the sum of $1,000, with approved security, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties under the above decree.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
jan19 ts

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from John Washington and wife to A. W. Armstrong, trustee, dated the 1st day of October, 1895, and recorded in liber N, No. 5, page 20, one of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and by direction of the party secured thereby, default having been made in paying the debt thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1905,

the following real estate:

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, designated as lot No. 6, in the plat and survey made by W. Gillingham, and recorded in liber S, No. 5, page 211, land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and on said plat described as follows:

Lot No 6—Beginning at "R" in the centre of the old Mount Vernon road corner to lot No. 5, N. 27½°; E. 8.85 chains to "S," a stake in the Henderson line, corner to John Ford, S. 25; E. 6.14 chains to "T;" S. 23° 50'; W. 12.25 chains to "Q," in the center of the aforesaid road, N.11½° W 9 chains to the begining, containing 5.33 acres.

Terms—Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

JESSIE R. ARMSTRONG,
Ex'trx of A. W. Armstrong, deceased.
K. Kemper, Attorney. jan26 td

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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERmaster's Department, Washington, D. C. January 5, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 p. m. February 4, 1905, and then publicly opened, for constructing at Rosslyn, Virginia, a brick building for a Coal Testing Plant. The right is reserved to the United States to reject any or all proposals. Specifications and blue prints will be furnished upon application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for Constructing Coal Testing Plant" and addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. Bunt, Quartermaster, U. S. Army.
jan7,9,10 Feb1,2,3

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 2, 1905.

Predict Religious Awakening.

That the religious awakening which is sweeping Wales is to affect this country is the conviction of the religious leaders who speak in the official publication of the Young Men's Christian Association which was issued in New York this week. Dr. Charles E. Jefferson says: "No one sensitive to spiritual atmospheres can fail to note the increasing signs of the approach of a great spiritual awakening. Among them are the wonderful revivals during the last year in England and in Wales and the indications of a great awakening in Scotland. Many Christian workers in close contact with the people in scattered fields have had for months the impression that a great change is at hand. The various denominations are pushing their evangelistic work and praying and working for a fresh baptism of the Spirit. The flood of intellectual confusion is abating. There have been oceans of negation. Now our work is to be constructive. The great facts of redemption will be proclaimed with an oldtime passion and power."

Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, who leads the Presbyterian evangelistic work, says: "The revival spirit is deepening in our country with each day. I have not in all my ministry seen such awakening. I prophesy that we are on the eve of the greatest religious awakening the world has yet known."

A Good Shot.

Thirty-nine jack rabbits were killed Saturday night at one shot by Mrs. William Boyd, near Miller, S. D., who poked the barrel of her shotgun through the kitchen window. The rabbits came to the farm in droves, nibbled the haystacks and played havoc with fruit trees. Boyd had shot many, and his wife bet him a pair of ear muffs against a barrel of apples that she could kill more rabbits at one shot than he could carry on his back at one load. Mrs. Boyd sprinkled a bushel of oats in a path. The rabbits gathered by scores until there was a long row of them eating oats in the bright moonlight. The woman fired, and her aim was accurate. Boyd loaded himself down with more than 100 pounds of dead rabbits, than sank into the snow and his wife had to help to pull him out. Mrs. Boyd has sold some of the rabbits. She will have the skins tanned to make a fur coverlet for the baby.

Police Powers of Conductors,

Police Justice Crutchfield, of Richmond, gave an interesting ruling yesterday defining the police powers of street car conductors in the matter of clearing the tracks. He held that a conductor had the right to leave his car and lead from the track horses and vehicles obstructing the track, and that if the driver resisted he could and should place him under arrest.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyler, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious Throat Trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; 50c and $1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Unequalled for Constipation.

Mr. A. R. Kane, a prominent druggist of Baxter Springs, Kansas, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are, in my judgment, the most superior preparation of anything in use today for constipation. They are sure in action and with no tendency to nauseate or gripe. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

No More Stomach Troubles.

All stomach trouble is removed by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gives the stomach perfect rest by digesting what you eat without the stomach's aid. The food builds up the body, the rest restores the stomach to health. You don't have to diet yourself when taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. J. D. Erskine, of Allenville, Mich., says, "I suffered Heartburn and Stomach trouble for some time. My sister-in-law has had the same trouble and was not able to eat for six weeks. She lived entirely on warm water. After takin? two bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she was entirely cured. She now eats heartily and is in good health. I am glad to say Kodol gave me instant relief." Sold by all druggists.

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GOOD FIGS CHEAP.—To close them out I will sell 250 lbs. Figs at 7c pound. Price before Christmas 10c. J. C. MILBURN.

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Prior to inventory we will offer the following low prices:

Amoskeag Outings, dark and light colors, 8c.
Armure Flannelettes, 10c.
Arnold Plaid Flannel, 15c.
27-inch All-wool Eiderdown, 25c.
Fruit of the Loom Bleached Cotton, 7 1-2c.
Androscoggin Bleached Cotton, 7c.
Pride of the West Bleached Cotton, 12 1-2c.
50 Ladies' Knit Skirts, 39c.
100 Ladies' Knit Skirts, 79c.
50c Fascinators, all colors, 39c.
25c Pillow Tops, 20c.
Furs at cost.

Sole Agents For Butterick Patterns.

Goodloe & Co.,

Corner King and Pitt Streets.

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and savages may delight in seeing SUFFERING, but the highest thought of civilization is to relieve all pain. This can quickly be done with HAMLINS WIZARD OIL.

For internal and external curative action, it has no equal in the entire medical world. It relieves the inflammation which is irritating your nerves, regulates the circulation of the small blood vessels, and, by scientific means, gently but certainly restores your body to health.

You can't be sick, if you ward off the preliminary action of disease microbes, with this greatest of all medicines of modern times. Price 50c and $1.00. Fully guaranteed.

For sale and recommended by

E. S. Leadbeater & Sons,

Druggists, Alexandria, Va.

MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the AMERICAN HYGIENIC BRICK TILE FIREPROOFING COMPANY (inc.), will be held in Fleischmann's Hotel, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, February 6, 1905, at five o'clock, p. m., for the election of directors and such other business as may appear. D. WILEY ANDERSON,
jan23 td President.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the company's office, second floor of Burke & Herbert's banking house, corner of King and Fairfax streets, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, February 6, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m.
LAURENCE STABLER, Secretary.
jan21 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockhold rs of the MOUNT VERNON CONSTRUCTION COMPANY will be held at 1:30 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 13th day of February, 1905, at the principal office of the said company, 216 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia.
ALFRED P. PALMER, Secretary.
jan28 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LAND AND RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, of New Alexandria, Va., will be held at 12:30 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 13th day of February, 1905, at 216 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia. F. K. HIPPLE,
jan30 td Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND MOUNT VERNON RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at 3 o'clock p. m., TUESDAY, February 14, 1905, at the office of the company in Mount Vernon, Virginia.
jan30 td F. K. HIPPLE, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the INDEPENDENT STEAMBOAT AND BARGE COMPANY on MONDAY, February 13, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the company's office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year. Transfer books close on Feburary 3 and remain closed until Feburary 12, 1905. JULIUS HUGLE.
feb1 id. Secretary,

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Watches, which can be cased in gold, silve or niskle cases, in prices ranging from $7.50 to $100.

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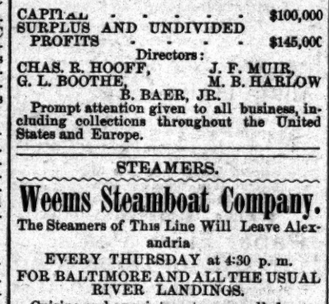

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just now, and is playing havoc all over the country, but he will settle down to business bye-and-bye. Meanwhile we are doing business at the same old stand, and are supplying the needs of the people of this city with just as good and just as clean and satisfactory coal as we have ever sold before, and if you need a new supply, just send us your order and we will deliver at once.

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nov5 tf

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Bryan, Albert
Brill, J
Baader, Henry
Baker, H J
Baltimore & Ohio Freight
Ballenger & Bro
Barley, Louis C, atty-at-law 127 S Royal
Baggett, W C
Barley, Louis C, residence 117 N Columbus
Beach, Dr Chas S
Bell Sons, Robert
Belle-Pre Glass Co
Bernheimer, S J
Bendheim, D & Sons
Bitzer, J H Dr.
Bohraus, Mrs. C
Boothe, Gardner L, office
Boothe, Gardner L, residence
Brill, Mrs Nettie
Brent, S G office
Brill, Louis, cafe
Brooks, Wm Fowle, residence
Brookes, Wm F & Co.
Brockett, A D, residence
Brockett, A D & Co
Bryant, Herbert, office
Bryant Herbert, residence
Bloch, H
Burke & Herbert
Burroughs, T F
Burke, H R, residence
Business Men's League
Burroughs, W J, residence
Callan, Henry
Cummings, Miss M L
Carlin, J Frank, residence
Carne, B L jr
Cockey, Jno
Carlin & Brent, Office
Carlin, C C, residence
Caton, J R & H B
Carter Bros
Carlin, Mrs Kate
Carlin Sons, Jas. F & Sons Co
Carlin, Miss M E
Chief Operator, Telephone Exchange
Citizens' National Bank
Chauncey, Julian
City Treasurer
Cochran, Miss C L
Cranford, Miss A
Corporation Court
Creighton, W F & Co
Creighton, W F & Son
Crupper, Joseph L
Curtin & Butts
Caton, Harry B, residence
Cogan, John A, plumber
Dabney, Jas H
Daingerfield, E L
Daingerfield, E L, Malvern
Deavers, A J
Demaine, W H
Desmond, Wm
Daniels, O H
Doniphan, A S
Dienelt, J A
Didszoneit, Fred
Delaney, Dr M D
Dreifus, J & Co
Exchange and Ballard Hote.
Eichberg, Isaac
Emerson Pump Co, The
Evening Star Bureau
Emmert, J W & Co
Entwisle, F L
Entwisle, Chas F
Entwisle, Jno W
Episcopal High School
Fannon, T J
Fairfax & Co
Florence Crittendon Mission
Field & Co, H K
Finch, Geo S
Fisher, Thos A, residence
First National Bank
Fleischmann Hotel
French, Geo S
Fogg, Julian
Fuller, R W, residence
Gibson, Richard
Gibson, Emily M Miss, residence 700 Duke
Gibson, Dr Thos
Goldsmith, E
Goods, C T
Green, Mrs Wm, north Washington
Green, Dr Louis S, residence S Washington
Green, Mrs Virginia, residence
Grigg, J Fossett
Hammond, J W & Sons
Harlow, M B & Co
Harlow, M B, residence
Havenner Baking Co
Harlow Bros
Harper, P S
Hellmuth Bros, market
Hellmuth Brothers, King street
Hammond, H
Hill, J M
Hill, J M & Co
Hill, Frank M
Hill, Zora
Hopkins, G D, residence
Hopkins, Dr. J Milton
Hooff, Chas R
Howard, Clifton T
Hill, Geo R
Huff, A J, residence
Janney, Dr C H
Jackson, Wm
Janney, Miss E M
Jones, Dr T M
Johnson, W A & Co
Johnson, Dr Albert
Kemper, Miss Sarah
Kelly, H V
Kicherer, Chas
Kirk, H
King, Charles & Son
King, James E, residence
King, Charles, residence
Kemper, E H
Knight, R E, stationery
Knight, R E, residence
Knox, t, R E
Knox R F, residence
Knox & Robinsonson
Kramer, Mrs Frederick
Lambert, Urban S, mdse broker 109 Union
Lambert, U S, residence
Lansburg, Mrs Alice
Lawler, E E & Co
Leadbeater, E S & Sons
Lash, J Lee
Lawler, Martin
Lee, Mrs M L
Lennon, C G
Lennon, C M
Lindsay, N & Co
Loose, J L
Lannon, Thos
Marshall & Bro, John A
Mutual Ice Co
Monroe, Ed, residence
McKenny, W H
McCuen, Jas, bottling works
McLearen, Frank
Morton, Rev W J, residence
Manager's Office
Marshall, C S, residence
Marine Railway Shipb'ld'g & Coal
Marshall, John A, residence
Market House
McGuire, Dr Hugh
Miller, E J & Co
Mer. Bld'g. & L Ass'n) L Hooff, Agt.)
Moore, W S
Moore, C A
Markell, Geo E
Masseni, Chas
"Mount Vernon"
May & Son, W H
Myers, R L & Co
Norton, J K M.
Nugent, O J
O'Brien, Dr M W
Odell, Aaron, market
Odell, Aaron
Old Dominion Glass Co
Outcalt, C, dentist
O'Sullivan & Co
Pad's Shoe Co
Patterson & Brother
Peyton, Jas F
Packard, Miss C, residence
Peck, W H
Pollard, F J
Ponnett, Constant, florist
Ponnet, C, florist, West End
Perry, Thomas
Petty, Geo W, residence
Portner Brewing Co, Robt
Portner, Robt, treasurer's office
Portner, Robt, secretary's office
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TELEPHONE EXCHANGES.

Postoffice
Police Headquarters
Price, Overton W
Price, Geo E & Co, Market
Preston, J T, residence
Pullman, C O
Purvis, Dr W B
Parson, E H (St Asaph)
Quinn, Edward
Reeves, Mrs
Ramsay, G Wm
Ramey, G H
Reiter, Curtiss & Mills, contractors
Rice, J Harry, residence
Risheill, M L, saw mill
Rittenour, Dr A A
Reardon, Wm M
Robertson, H P
Roberts, Walter
Robinson, G H & Sons
Rogers, Joseph F
Ruben & Sons M
Rammel, A & Sons
Reardon, W m, residence
Rucker, Geo H (St Elmo)
Robinson, Thos W
Schlichting, Henry, residence
Schuler, M
Schwarzman, Geo D, residence
Smoot, W A jr, residence
Smith, Mrs. Francis
Smoot, C C & Sons
Smoot, W A & Co
Smoot, W A & Co, office King street
St. Mary's Academy
Smith, C H "Hampton"
Smoot, J R & Co.
Smith, Dr W M, office
Smith, Dr W M, residence
Smoot, Mrs Susan, residence
Smoot, J C, residence
Southern Bell T & T Co, operator
Southern Railway Co, freight yard
Southern Railway Co, W & O
Southern Express Co
So Rwy, Eng Office
Standard Oil Company
Stump, Rev J P
Stevens, Moses
Stuart, Douglass, office
Summers, C J W, residence
Shuman, L
Smoot, W B, residence
Schaffer, C A & Co, florist
Smith, F L
Strauss, H, residence
Swan Bros
Snowden, Dr Arthur
Southern Bell T & T Co
Smoot, W A & Co, King St, office
Simpson, Geo L
Timberman, C T C, residence
The Old Dominion Glass Co
Telephone Exchange chief operator
Theological Seminary
Virginia Glass Works
Virginia Safe Deposit Trust Company
W., A & Mt Vernon Ry Co
W, A & Mt V Ry Co, Payne street
Watkins, J B
Wattles, R H
Wattles, C W
Warfield, jr, E
Washington-Southern Railway
Wash'n-Sou Ry, Engineer
Warfield, sr Edgar
West, Geo
Washington Steamboat Co
Wheatley, B, residence
Weil Bros
Western Union Telegraph Company
White, Wythe
Wheatley, B
Wildt, H
Wilkins, Captain Jno T
Wingfield, S T, residence
Wolford, Lorenzo, residence
Wise, Mrs Peter
Woolls, W P
Yates, C R
Zimmerman, J R, residence
Zimmerman, J R, office
Zimmerman, Chas
Annandale, C C Leachman
Bailey's Cross Roads
Centreville, Va, B B Utterbach
Fairfax, W T Oliver
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Sundays—7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 25, 5 50, 6 25, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 30 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 p. m.

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Sundays—7 40, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 7 55, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

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Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20 and 7 50 p. m.

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Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 05 and 6 05 p. m.

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Schedule effective January 9, 1905.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Pullman drawing-room sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:12 P. M.—Daily except Sunday—Palm Limited, one composite car (combined baggage, smoking and barber shop), one Pullman compartment car, two Pullman drawing room and sleeping cars, one Pullman compartment observation car, one Pullman observation sleeping car between New York and St. Augustine, Fla., one Pullman drawing room and state room sleeping car between New York, Aiken, S C, and Augusta, Ga. (via Blackville). Dining car serving all meals between New York and St. Augustine, Fla.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and South western Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to Atlanta, Macon. Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

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Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40 and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:33 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 5:10 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:17, 6:32, 9:28, 9 38 and 9:56 A. M. and 2:40, 9:10 and 9:30 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:35 A. M. week days and 9:00 P. M daily. From Charlottesville 8:05 A. M. and 9:00 P. M. daily.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Sundays—9 34, 12 21 a. m., 7 08, 8 19 and 11 34 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and